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FOR: BACTERIA ATTENUATED BY A NON-REVERTING MUTATION IN EACH OF
THE AROC, OMPF AND OMPC GENES, USEFUL AS VACCINES

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Arlington, VA 22313

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action mailed on December 12, 2002. A Petition
for a two-month extension of time is submitted herewith.

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